



Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Mr. Phil Kiko  
Chief Administrative Officer  
HB-26, Capitol Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Kiko,

I have been informed that despite a lapse of appropriations and current government shutdown, under current law, Members of Congress would continue to receive their salary.

Since I do not agree with that policy, please withhold my pay until an appropriations agreement has taken effect.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barbara Comstock". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Barbara" being more prominent than the last name "Comstock".

Barbara Comstock  
Member of Congress